### THEY FIDDLED AS DID NERO

How John Lyle King Saved a Ruined Merchant During the Great Fire.

A Novel Incident That Brought Joy and Relief to a Party of Union Soldiers on Their Way to Libby Prison.

Many years ago John Lyle King, a brilliant genius, was the best known young man in Madison, this State. For a quarter of a century or more he has been a wellknown lawyer in Chicago. In his youth, as now, he was addicted to the fiddle, and, it is said, the treasure he yet holds nearest his heart is his mellow old fiddle. The other day a reporter of the Chicago Tribune, knowing John Lyle King's weakness, enticed him into a reminiscence. "My fiddle," said Mr. King to the group of listeners in his office, "has even saved a

a man from a suicide's grave."

"A violin that saved a man from snicide is interesting," suggested a young fellow too eager for the tale.

Mr. King started up and flushed.

"It was not a violin," he said, hotly. "A violin is a lewd thing, the work-piece of an enervated race, the sport of concert-halls. I never had a violin in my life, but I've played a fiddle all my life."

The young fellow sank back abashed, and Mr. King went on more mildly.

"I suppose I am a bigger man than Nero. Nero fiddled while Rome was burning, but the Rome fire wasn't half as hot as the Chicago fire. When it came I had my office on cago fire. When it came I had my office on Dearborn street, and my fiddle was there. I saw that there was no chance to get my poor goods out, so I put my fiddle in a bag and started for the Tribune office. It was a fine old fiddle, a hundred years old, I reckon, and mellow with its years. The Tribune had a fire-proof building and I wanted to put my fiddle within its walls, where it might be safe. I got to the office just after the flames had reached the building. There was no structure on earth that could be proof against such a blaze, and while I was entering the fire was attacking the roof. I hurried away up Madison street. At the corner of State, right in front of where Buck & Rayner's drug store now stands, a man was leaning against a lamp-post. You cannot think of a more dejected figure. He sgainst the men given by Perkiser was man was leaning against a lzmp-post. You was a State-street merchant. I don't remember his name if I ever knew it. His house and furniture and his shop had been swept off the face of the earth as a writing on a slate might be erased by a wet sponge. The things that made his home pleasant—the little goods he had worked and fought for—were in ruins, burying the tender associations of his life. He had been separated by the fire from his wife and children, and he reasonably thought they had perished in the furnace that was blazing up in the south. No wonder he was dejected. I stopped beside him. For a moment, he did not see me. He was dazed and he looked half mad. Then a light came into his eyes, and he put out his hands. King, old man, he said, give me a tune on your fiddle. I took the old chan out of the bag, resined the bow, and shook out 'The Rocky Road to Dublin.' You've all heard the 'Rocky Road,' but you never heard it played like that. The old fiddle just sang and danced. The air was thick with smoke, the blaze from the burning buildings not a block away singed my coat, and we could hear the boom of the falling timbers above the melody. But I sawed out the 'Rocky Road,' and the man I played it for traveled it with me to the end. Then he grasped my hand and roared: 'Old man, God bless you, you've saved my life. I was going for the lake. I'll look for my family now.' I put my fiddle in the bag again and started north with him. He left me at Illinois street to hunt for some relatives who lived on the North Side. I made for the lake shore and slept that night with the fiddle unner my head."

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"No." Mr. King replied, sadly. "I never met him from that day."

"I knew John Lyle King." said General John Coburn. "and that reminds me of another fiddle story that illustrates the wonderful power of the music that can be got out of one. It happened in 1863, in Lynchburg, Va., long before the Chicago fire. A lot of Union soldiers, 'part of whom I was one of which,' had been captured, and after lying out on the ground in the month of March, wading streams, and catching cold, and living on starvation rations, we found ouraelves, on our way to Libby, delayed a few days in Lynchburg and confined in an upper room of a large building. There were some thirty or forty in the room, without a chair, or bed, or seat of any kind. All were hungry and tired; some had the blues and some were sick. The dirty floor was used as seat, bed, lounge, washstand and spittoon. It was a sad crowd. Col. Wm. L. Utler, of Wisconsin, said to the door-keeper that he would give a dollar to any darkey who would bring him a fiddle. In a short time one was brought, and the Colonel, who was an accomplished player, began his performances. His art was unknown to the most of us. He was a genius in his way. He had been a dancing-master, portrait-painter, hotel-keeper, horse-racer, editor and adjutant-general of his State.

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"His first scrapings on the catgut and tuning of the instrument attracted but little attention. But soon all talk ceased. There was a loose board about six feet long in the room; this was given him as the seat of honor, one end resting an the washboard. His audience had the floor.

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"He began to sing and play 'The Merry Mountain Drovier Boy,' an old-fashioned country love song. He captured the crowd with that. Then came 'The Arkansas Traveler,' with the story. I am sure it was never played and told in better style. Then war songs were sung, in which many joined. At last his fiddle grew wild. The Colonel forgot himself, and then came reels, cotillions, schottisches, polkas and waltzes. Shaking the light fantastic toe followed; singing and clog dancing, hoedowns and waltzing 'chased the glowing hours with flying feet.' hours with flying feet.

"The prisoners were free; the captives forgot their misery; the homesick drank a big wine-cup of joy; and the gallant old Colonel sat there, with his back braced against the wall, with his magic fiddle-bow the wild notes jumping, darting, and flying, or sweetly and sadly, long drawn out; wailing and sighing, like the Æolian harp under the fingers of the North wind. It was sorcery, and the old magician enjoyed it more than any of us. His body sleeps now in the cemetery at Racine, and he has gone where the good fiddlers go."

THE COUNTRY'S DRUGGISTS.

Arrangements for the Meeting of the National | the conventions. Association in This City This Week.

The National Wholesale Druggists' Association will hold its annual convention in this city, commencing on Tuesday next, with headquarters at the Denison Hotel. The convention was organized in this city. in March, 1876, and at that time was known as the Western Wholesale Druggists' Assoand comprised the entrade west of the Alleghe-The wholesale druggists of the adopted a similar plan association, but in 1883, at Cleveland, the two were consolidated under the present name. The purposes of the organization were chiefly to better the condition of trade, and after the remedying of existing evils the meetings now are more of a social character, attended by the leading druggists—in many cases with their wives—from

all over the States. A committee of arrangements and enter-tainments has been appointed, and they have prepared the following programme for the visitors. The first meeting will be held at 10 o'clock, Tuesday morning, at Brennecke's Hall, and at night there will be a general reception at the Denison Hotel from 8 o'clock till 10:30. On Wednesday there will be a ladies' reception at the resi-dence of Mrs. John N. Carey, No. 660 North Meridian street, from 3 to 6 o'clock, to be followed by a theater party at the Grand A committee of arrangements and enterfollowed by a theater party at the Grand

Thursday morning there will be a ladies' breakfast at the hotel, and on Thursday afternoon a visit will be paid in carriages to various points of interest in and about the city. A banquet will follow at night, at which it is expected three hundred persons will be present

insurance organization of their own, attention will be paid to the reports of the drug markets for the past year, and another question that will be considered is the advisability of a tax on alcohol used in manufactures, arts, and sciences, and the proprietary interests of the business will be discussed.

Among the prominent druggists present will be George A. Kelley, president, Rittsburg; R. V. Pierce, Buffalo; Horace Benton, Daniel Myer, Cleveland; Arthur Petin, Louisville; W. A. Rust, Boston; H. M. Sharp, Philadelphia; J. H. Wenkleman, Baltimore; Solomon Carter, Boston; Charles Hubbard, Syracuse; C. N. Latimer, Columbus, O.; James A. Richardson, St. Louis; J. C. Eliel, Minneapolis; Edward Malbuckrodt, St. Louis; H. S. Sears, Boston; J. H. Gilman, Boston; C. C. Goodwin, Boston; H. S. Delaney, Baltimore; W. C. Williams, Detroit; N. B. Arnold, Providence, R. I.; P. J. Singer, Peoria; Daniel K. Noyse, St. Paul; L. W. Fairchild, New York; Thomas Maine, New York; T. A. Hinchman and James E. Davis, Detroit; John S. Mofflitt, St. Louis; Peter Van Schaack, Chicago; Henry Gilpin, Baltimore; Ashley Lloyd, Cincinnati; W. J. Walding, Toledo; John M. Peters, New York; S. M. Strong, Cleveland; T. W. Schutte, Kansas City; E. A. Bigelow, Lowell, Mass.; John Clay and Theodore Weiker, New York; W. A. Hoover, Denver, J. N. Edgerley, Baltimore; R. R. McElvaine, Philadelphia; P. W. Beaford, New York city; Charles S. Haselton, Grand Rapids; Thomas Reid, Montreal, Canada; G. B. Olcott, New York city, and D. O. Haines, of Detroit.

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There has also been called a meeting of the United States Proprietary Association, which will meet here on Wednesday next, to discuss the questions which have arisen regarding their rights under the recent legislation, which affects them in the way of controlling the prices of their goods. of controlling the prices of their goods.

A "DETECTIVE" LECTURED.

Thick-Witted Sleuth Who Made an Arrest Without Reason or Warrant.

John and Zack Lynch, of Daviess county, the two alleged counterfeiters who were arrested by John W. Perkiser, a self-styled detective, were brought up before Commissioner Van Buren yesterday morning and given a preliminary hearing. The evidence against the men given by Perkiser was found to be of such a weak and unsatisfactory character that the cases were at once dismissed and the would-be detective given a severe lecture by the Commissioner and Marshal Dupler. Was, if you want new and beautiful gasfixtures, the latest and most artistic novel-ties (and not old and obsolete patterns), go to these young men, who sell Archer & Pancoast's fixtures. ing served two years in prison, and tried to make capital out of it." Commissioner Van Buren also characterized the arrest as an outrage. Both of the men charged were without a cent of money, and would have had to walk back to Washington, Ind. Perkiser was also without the necessary funds to get out of the city, but on being paid the money always paid for bringing the prosecuting witnesses to court, Perkiser promised to pay the fares of the men back to their homes.

elected delegates to the meeting, and the question raised by Mr. Hite was whether the doctrines of the New Church would permit women to take part in such meetings. As no one seemed to be positively informed upon the subject, the matter was referred to a future meeting. The association elected the following to be officers for the ensuing

President-John Goddard, of Cincinnati, O. Clerk-H. H. Grant, of Richmond, Ind. Corresponding Secretary-M. G. Brown, Cleveland, O. Treasurer-B. C. Moores, of Glendale, O. Trustees-A. M. Wagar, of East Rockport, O.; C. S. Holmes, of Cincinnati; C. G. Smith, of Urbana, O.; W. N. Holbert, of Cincinnati; A. M. Allen, Glendale, O.

Last night Rev. E. D. Daniels lectured at Pfafflin's Hall on "What the New Church Teaches Concerning the Lord." To-night Rev. John Goddard will lecture on "What and Where is the Spiritual World?" Services will be held this morning at New Church Chapel, No. 383 North Alabama street, at which the visiting pastors will take part take part.

Pardoned by the Governor. Governor Hovey yesterday pardoned Tude Hicks, who was sent from Switzerland

county, in 1887, to the penitentiary for five years, for rape. Judge Freeley. who heard the case, had written to the Governor that he believed there was great doubt of the young man's guilt, and asked that he be pardoned. The prosecuting attorney and the jury joined in the request.

The Governor also paroled William T. Atkinson, sent from Green county, in 1884, on a charge of mansiaughter. Atkinson, who has served five years, while intoxicated fired indiscriminately into a crowd at Edwardsport, fatally wounding his cousin. The judge and jury, prosecuting attorney and father of the deceased petitioned the Governor to parole Atkinson, and it has been done, on condition that he abstain from the use of liquor.

Patriotic Order, Sons of America. Washington Camp, No. 5, Patriotic Order, Sons of America, received several new members on last Friday evening. This camp is meeting with success, and promises to be one of the best in the country. The P. O. S. A., was organized in Philadelphia, in 1847, and although it is one of the oldest orders in America, and one of the strongest in the Eastern States, it was almost unknown in the West until three years ago. It is now represented in every State in the

Meeting of Missionary Bodies. The General and Foreign Missionary Conventions and the Christian Woman's Board of Missions, of the Christian Church, will be held at Louisville, commencing on Tuesday of this week. The pastor, D. R. Lucas, and about twenty other members, including Mrs. Maria Jameson, Mrs. Sarah Wallace, Mrs. Mary C. Cole, Mrs. Anna B. Morrison, Mrs. J. R. Ryan, Mrs. Cale, Mrs. Lucas, Miss White, Miss Foul, Mrs. R. T. Brown, Mrs. O. A. Burgess, and others, of the Central Christian Church, will attend

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both for sickness and accident, as well as weekly benefits. For particulars call at the company's office, 98 West Washington street, Park Theater Board of Managers—Albert Gall, president; H M. LaFollette, vice-president; Bruce Carr, treas urer; E. J. Robison, secretary; G. W. Combs, M D., medical director; Ford Woods, auditor.

Pullman Sleeping-Car Now Running Regularly Between Indianapolis and Chicago, VIA PANHANDLE ROUTE,
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until departure of train, 11:20 p. m. On arrival
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7:30 a. m.

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to various points of interest in and about the city. A banquet will follow at night, at which it is expected three hundred persons will be present.

The business meeting of members attending the convention will consider, among other matters, the subject of a mutual

ADMIRATION.

What State-House Visitors Delight to Look Upon--Private Residences Properly Furnished.

Young and Enterprising, and "They Have the Goods"-What the Firm of DeWald & Gall Are Doing.

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The young and enterprising firm of De-Wald & Gall, No. 9 Wyandot Block, are ex-clusive agents in this city for this great house, and have fitted up many houses with

house, and have fitted up many houses with these choice gas-fixtures.

The residences of Dr. O. S. Runnels, on North Meridian street; Judge Alexander C. Ayers, Woodruff Place; Dr. J. H. Woodburn, Frank T. Meharry and many others exemplify the work done by DeWald & Gall and the quality of fixtures they sell.

The new finishes of Archer & Pancoast deserve special mention. Many of these colorings are entirely new and of the highest artistic merit. Ormalo gilt is one of these, and is of exquisite elegance. DeWald & Gall are also selling many fixtures finished in Butler silver and polished brass.

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Mr. DeWald is a first-class mechanic, and has gone through the natural-gas epidemic without a complaint against his work. He is now pulling out several jobs that have been done by other workmen, and is putting them in a condition of safety. But what this article started out to say

Change of Time on the O., I. & W. Railroad. On Sunday, the 20th, there will be a radical change of time on the O., I & W. Two additional trains east of Indianapolis, with through Wagner sleeper from Indianapolis to Cleveland.

The additional trains will leave Indianapolis at 7 p. m. daily, reaching Springfield at 12:15 a. m., with through Wagner sleeper reaching Cleveland at 8 a. m., and combination chair and sleeping car reaching Columbus at 3:35 a. m. The corresponding train will leave Cleveland at 8 p.

land at 8 a. m., and combination chair and sleeping car reaching Columbus at 3:35 a. m. The corresponding train will leave Cleveland at 8 p. m. daily, Columbus at 12:10 midnight daily, and reach Indianapolis at 7:20 a. m., with Wagner sleeper from Cleveland via Springeld to Indianapolis, and combination chair and sleeping car from Columbus to Indianapolis. These trains also connect at Durbin with the N. Y., L. E. & W. trains for and from New York and all points East reached by the Eric route.

The train that formerly left here at 3 p. m. has been taken off and in its place a train will leave here at 10:40 a. m., connecting at Durbin with the N. Y., L. E. & W. limited vestibule, at Springfield with the Big Four for Cleveland and the East, also with the C., S. & C. for Columbus, reaching Columbus at 5:54 p. m., connecting with the B. & O. limited for Washington, Baltimore and New York, and the Scioto Valley for all points in southern Ohio. Going east this train, instead of leaving Springfield at 6:45 a. m., will leave at 11:25,a. m., getting connections from Columbus and from Sandusky, reaching here at 4:25 p. m. Trains 3 and 4 will run about as heretofore, leaving Indianapolis at 4 a. m. daily, reaching Springfield at 9.30 a. m., connecting with the Big Four for Cleveland, and the East, with the Ohio Southern for Jackson, and with the C., S. & C. for Columbus and Sandusky, reaching Columbus at 11:18 a. m., connecting with the B. & O. for Baltimore and Washington; also, with the Scioto Valley; returning train No. 3 will leave Springfield at 5:40 p. m. daily, with connections from Cleveland, Jackson, Sandusky and Columbus, leaving the latter place at 3:30 p. m. daily, reaching Indianapolis at 10:50 p. m. All trains will connect at Springfield with the C., S. & C. for and from Columbus; also, make fair connections with trains to and from Sandusky. West of Indianapolis, trains will run as hereto-

West of Indianapolis, trains will run as hereto-fore, except the Champaign accommodation, which will leave at 5 p. m., instead of 5:50, and reach training at 9:25, instead of 10 o'clock, For exact time of trains see railroad column.

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